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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: FOX ET AL.  
APPLICATION NO.: 09/448,854  
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FOR: CERTIFICATE REISSUANCE FOR  
CHECKING THE STATUS OF A  
CERTIFICATE IN FINANCIAL  
TRANSACTIONS

EXAMINER: ZAND,  
KAMBIZ.  
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**Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office action dated October 3, 2003 (hereinafter "the Office action"). Please amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks, which applicants submit places the case in condition for allowance. Applicants further submit that these remarks do not raise any new issues that would require further consideration and/or search.

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